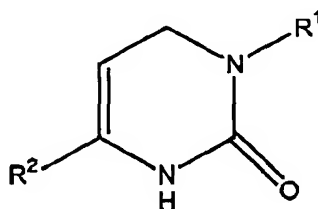


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ABSTRACT**NOVEL COMPOUNDS AND THEIR USES**

Use of a compound according to Formula [I]:



[I]

5 or a salt thereof to produce a cooling sensation, wherein R¹ and R² are independently selected from hydrogen or halogen atoms; hydroxy, cyano, nitro, mercapto, carbonyl, sulfone and carboxy groups; or optionally
10 substituted alkyl, alkenyl, alkoxy, alkylthio, aryl, aryloxy, arylthio, amino, siloxy, ester and heterocyclic groups, with the proviso that when R¹ is 2-hydroxyphenyl, R² is other than 3-nitrophenyl.